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GUIDELINES

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SUBJECT: Nonroad Engines

Portable engines that are moved within a source in conjunction with use at different specific sites in the source are considered nonroad engines.

Portable welders, compressors, and portable generators that are driven by internal combustion engines meet the definition of nonroad engine. However, if this equipment stays at a location for more than 12 consecutive months or a shorter period of time for an engine located at a seasonal source, it is considered a stationary source. A location is any site at a building, structure, facility, or installation. Therefore, an engine (designed to be and capable of being moved) that moves from a single site (i.e. coordinate) within an owner/operator's property to another single site (i.e. coordinate) within the same owner/operator's property, meets the definition of nonroad engine.

If the engine is designed to be and capable of being moved, but is stationary at the site it will be considered a stationary source for NSR and Title V permitting.

This Guideline shall be audited every five years by the Major NSR Section Manager to determine the current status and relevance of the information.